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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE: MRS. ALETTA GELDENHUYS

POST HAS RECEIVED REQUEST FROM PROFESSOR CHARLOTTE SEARLE, PRESIDENT OF SA NURSING ASSOCIATION WHO WAS HIGHLY SATISFIED VOLVISITOR EARLY IN 1975, THAT FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE BE PROVIDED MRS. ALETTA GELDENHUYS, RN, CURRENTLY DOING VOLUNTARY WORK IN SOUTH AFRICA. MRS. GELDENHUYS, WHO IS MEMBER SA NURSING ASSOCIATION, WILL ACCOMPANY HER HUSBAND, DR. FRANZ GELDENHUYS, EMINENT OBSTETRICIAN AND ASST. DEAN OF MEDICAL SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY PRETORIA, ON THREE-WEEK VISIT TO US, DURING WHICH TIME PROF. GELDENHUYS WILL DELIVER PAPER IN BALTIMORE. WHILE IN US, MRS. GELDENHUYS WOULD VERY MUCH LIKE TO VISIT HOSPITALS IN MID-WEST PART OF COUNTRY WHICH HAVE HAD ACTUAL REPEAT ACTUAL EXPERIENCE WITH FLOOD AND TORNADO DISASTERS. SHE WOULD WELCOME DISCUSSIONS WITH SENIOR NURSING OFFICALS WHO HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN SUCH EXPERIENCES AND PROFESSOR SEARLE HOPES THAT KNOWLEDGE GAINED BY MRS. GELDENHUYS WOULD BE IMPLEMENTED IN SOUTH AFRICA WHERE LITTLE IS KNOWN THIS FIELD. GELDENHUYS'S EXPECT ARRIVE US FIRST WEEK SEPTEMBER. BIODATA WILL BE FORWARDED ASAP.

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